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## House Resolution No. 1984

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an extraordinary young Missouri citizen who has attained tremendous personal success through achievement in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

Whereas, Thomas Edward Price of Troop 397 in Kearney, Missouri, has successfully completed all the stringent requirements necessary to attain the coveted rank of Eagle Scout, Scouting's highest honor, which he will receive during a Court of Honor Ceremony to be held on April 27, 2008, at the First Methodist Church in Kearney; and

Whereas, Thomas Price earned the praise and respect of many for the initiative and enthusiasm he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved the construction of an outdoor classroom/mini amphitheater at Dogwood Elementary School in Kearney; and

Whereas, during his ten years in the Scouting program, Thomas Price earned an impressive forty-five merit badges, received the World Conservation and Bartle Heritage awards, attained Firebuilder status in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say where his name is "Little Bald Eagle Soaring in Moon Light", and participated in many years of summer camp at the H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, National Youth Leadership Training, Brownsea 22, and the National Jamboree at Fort A.P. Hill in Virginia; and

Whereas, Thomas Price has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through his important terms of service to his Troop as Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Quartermaster, and Librarian; and

Whereas, Thomas Price has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud family, friends, teachers, and Scoutmaster:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Thomas Price at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Thomas Edward Price.

Offered by	
	Representative Doug Ervin
	District No. 35

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1984, adopted April 16, 2008.